
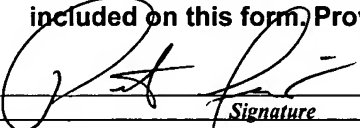
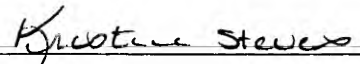
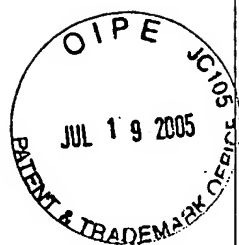


<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Small Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>Mbraun.1000</b>	
Applicant(s): <b>Calandra</b>					
Application No. <b>10/629,027</b>	Filing Date <b>July 28, 2003</b>	Examiner <b>T. Maust</b>	Customer No. <b>26,812</b>	Group Art Unit <b>3751</b>	Confirmation No.
Invention: <b>System and Method for Automatically Purifying Solvents</b>					
 <b>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</b>					
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27					
The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.					
<b>CLAIMS AS AMENDED</b>					
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Multiple Dependent Claims (check if applicable) <input type="checkbox"/>					\$0.00
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$0.00</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> No additional fee is required for amendment. <input type="checkbox"/> Please charge Deposit Account No. _____ in the amount of _____ <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of _____ to cover the filing fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. <b>08-1391</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16. <input type="checkbox"/> Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. <b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b>					
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. Of: Peter Calandra, Jr.  
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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the non-final Office Action mailed March 15, 2005. In response thereto, please enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks.

A one-month Petition for Extension of Time accompanies this amendment. The term for response has been extended from June 15, 2005 to July 15, 2005.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this response. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this response, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and any fee required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account No. 08-1391.

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